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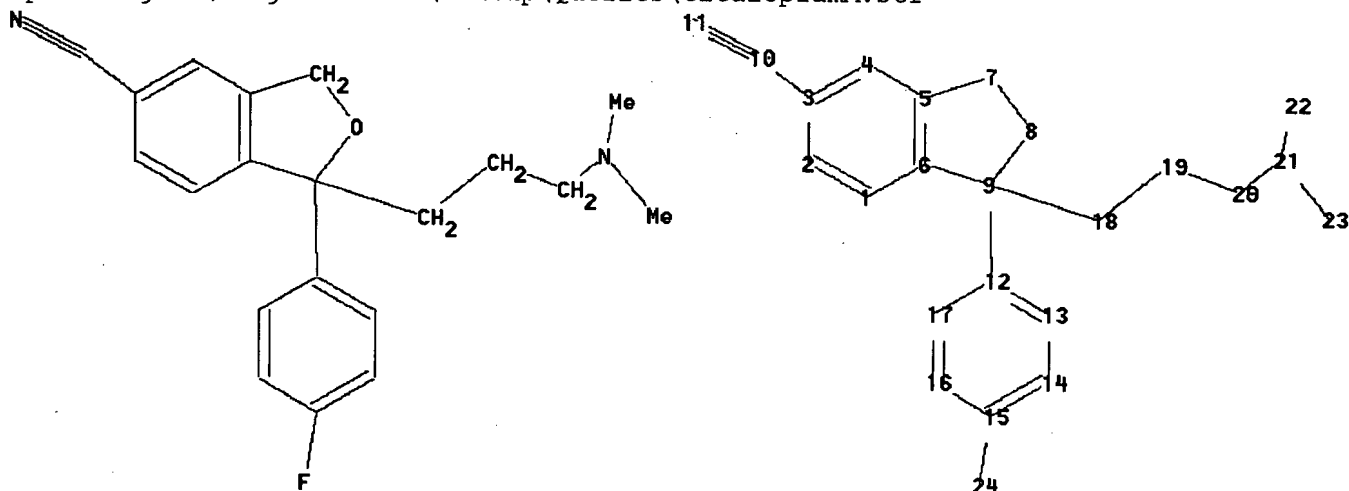
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chain nodes :

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ring nodes :  
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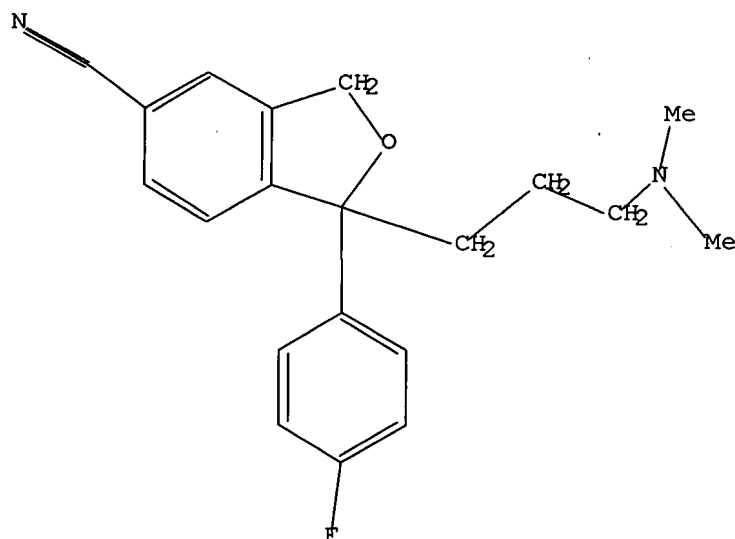
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L1 STRUCTURE UPLOADED

=> d 11

L1 HAS NO ANSWERS

L1 STR



Structure attributes must be viewed using STN Express query preparation.

=> s, sss sam 11

SAMPLE SEARCH INITIATED 18:37:54 FILE 'CASREACT'

SCREENING COMPLETE - 28 REACTIONS TO VERIFY FROM

5 DOCUMENTS

100.0% DONE

28 VERIFIED

28 HIT RXNS

5 DOCS

SEARCH TIME: 00.00.01

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BATCH \*\*COMPLETE\*\*  
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PROJECTED ANSWERS: 5 TO 234

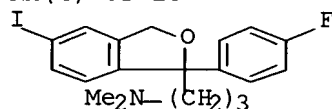
L2 5 SEA SSS SAM L1 ( 28 REACTIONS)

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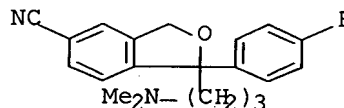
L2 5 ANSWERS CASREACT COPYRIGHT 2007 ACS on STN

TI Processes for the preparation of citalopram and its intermediate from 5-aminophthalide

RX(4) OF 15



CuCN, Pyridine, DMF



ALL ANSWERS HAVE BEEN SCANNED

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COST IN U.S. DOLLARS

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=> s sss l1 full

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FULL SEARCH INITIATED 18:47:24 FILE 'CASREACT'

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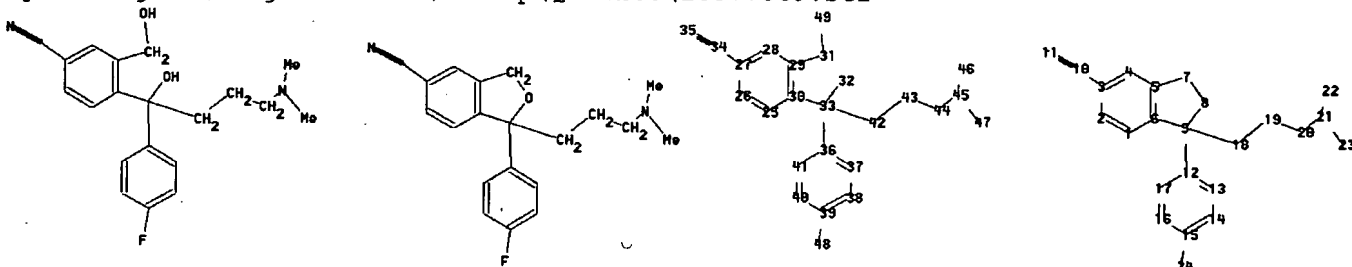
L3 72 SEA SSS FUL L1 ( 271 REACTIONS)

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containing 1  
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containing 25

L4 STRUCTURE UPLOADED

=> d l4

L4 HAS NO ANSWERS

L4 STR

\* STRUCTURE DIAGRAM TOO LARGE FOR DISPLAY - AVAILABLE VIA OFFLINE PRINT \*

Structure attributes must be viewed using STN Express query preparation.

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SAMPLE SUBSET SEARCH INITIATED 18:49:07 FILE 'CASREACT'

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SEARCH TIME: 00.00.01

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PROJECTED VERIFICATIONS (WITHIN SPECIFIED SUBSET): 0 TO 0

PROJECTED ANSWERS (WITHIN SPECIFIED SUBSET): 0 TO 0

L5 0 SEA SUB=L3 SSS SAM L4 ( 0 REACTIONS)

HOW MANY MORE ANSWERS DO YOU WISH TO SCAN? (1):0

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L1 STRUCTURE UPLOADED  
L2 5 S SSS SAM L1

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L3 72 S SSS L1 FULL  
SAVE L3 CITALOPRAM07/A

L4 STRUCTURE UPLOADED

L5 0 S L4 SSS SAM SUB=L3

=> s l4 subset=l3 sam

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100.0% DONE 0 VERIFIED 0 HIT RXNS 0 DOCS  
SEARCH TIME: 00.00.01

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PROJECTED ANSWERS (WITHIN SPECIFIED SUBSET): 0 TO 0

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=> s l4 subset=l3 full

FULL SUBSET SEARCH INITIATED 18:51:16 FILE 'CASREACT'

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SEARCH TIME: 00.00.01

L7 14 SEA SUB=L3 SSS FUL L4 ( 27 REACTIONS)

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L7 ANSWER 1 OF 14 CASREACT COPYRIGHT 2007 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 147:211613 CASREACT Full-text

TITLE: Process for asymmetric alkylation of carbonyl compounds

INVENTOR(S): Albert, Martin; Sturm, Hubert; Berger, Andreas; Kremminger, Peter

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Sandoz A.-G., Switz.

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 36pp.  
CODEN: PIXXD2

DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent

LANGUAGE: English

FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1

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 CF, CG, CI, CM, GA, GN, GQ, GW, ML, MR, NE, SN, TD, TG, BW, GH,  
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PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.:

GB 2006-1286

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OTHER SOURCE(S):

MARPAT 147:211613

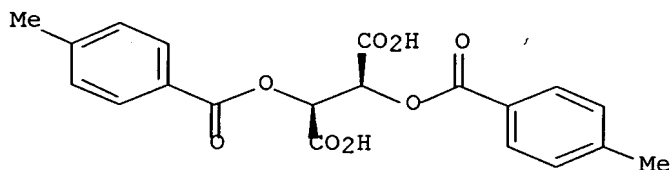
AB This invention relates to a process for stereoselective alkylation of carbonyl groups comprising reaction of a carbonyl compound (containing an anchor group capable of reacting with a boric or boronic acid derivs.) with an organometallic compound in the presence of a chiral alc. and a boron compound. For example, 4-(4-fluorobenzoyl)-3-(hydroxymethyl)benzonitrile was reacted with (1S,2S)-N-methylpseudoephedrine and diisopropoxymethylborane, followed by the addition of dimethylaminopropyl magnesium chloride to give (S)-4-[4-(dimethylamino)-1-(4-fluorophenyl)-1-hydroxy-1-butyl]-3-(hydroxymethyl)benzonitrile with 90.0% enantiomeric excess. The chiral tertiary alc. obtained in the previous step is a useful intermediate for synthesizing antidepressant drug Escitalopram.

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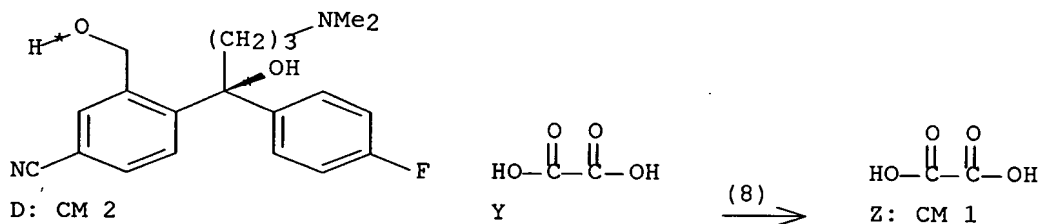
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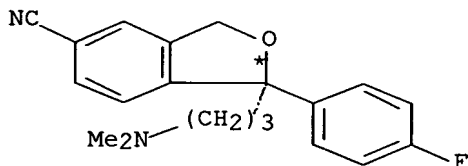


D: CM 1



D: CM 2

Z: CM 1



Z: CM 2



RX(8) RCT D 128173-53-5

STAGE(1)

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SOL 7732-18-5 Water, 75-09-2 CH2Cl2  
CON room temperature, pH 9

STAGE(2)

RGT AB 121-44-8 Et3N, AC 104-15-4 TsOH  
CON SUBSTAGE(1) room temperature  
SUBSTAGE(2) 1 hour, <5 deg C

STAGE(3)

RCT Y 144-62-7

PRO Z 219861-08-2  
NTE stereoselective

L7 ANSWER 2 OF 14 CASREACT COPYRIGHT 2007 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 146:500809 CASREACT Full-text

TITLE: An improved resolution process for the preparation of antidepressant drug: escitalopram

AUTHOR(S): Mital, Alka; Kumar, Rakesh; Ramachandran, Uma

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Pharmaceutical Technology, National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research (NIPER), Mohali, 160062, India

SOURCE: Organic Preparations and Procedures International (2006), 38(4), 423-426

CODEN: OPPIAK; ISSN: 0030-4948

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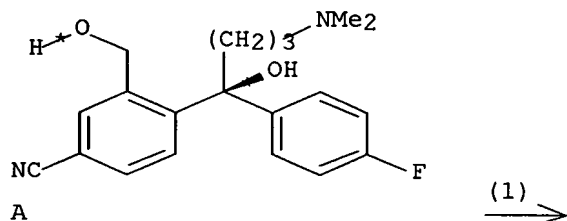
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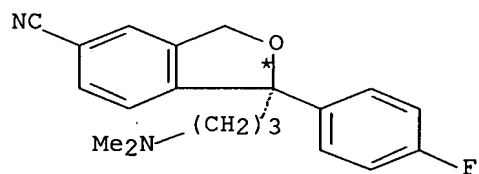
LANGUAGE: English

AB Efficient resolution process for the intermediate racemic diol 4-(4-dimethylamino)-1-(4'-fluorophenyl)-1-(hydroxybutyl)-3-(hydroxymethyl)benzonitrile, wherein the S-diol is obtained in pure form, which is basified and then cyclized to give S-citalopram of >99 % enantiomeric purity. The method provides an easy way to improve the enantiomeric purity of S-citalopram that is obtained by diastereomeric salt crystallization method as compared to the other processes. The novelty of this process is that the enriched diastereomeric salt is crystallized twice using a medium polar solvent, before it is released as a free base. This avoids the cumbersome two stage purification process of the other reported processes.

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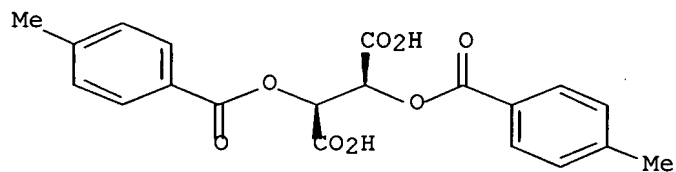




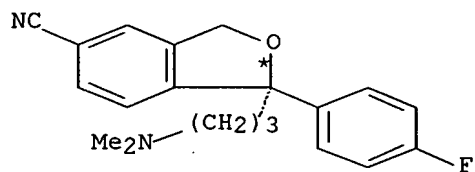
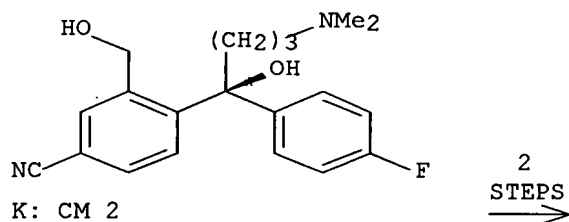
B  
YIELD 70%

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PRO B 128196-01-0  
SOL 108-88-3 PhMe  
CON SUBSTAGE(1) 10 minutes, 0 deg C  
SUBSTAGE(2) 3 hours, 0 deg C

RX(7) OF 10 COMPOSED OF RX(4), RX(1)  
RX(7) K ==> B



K: CM 1



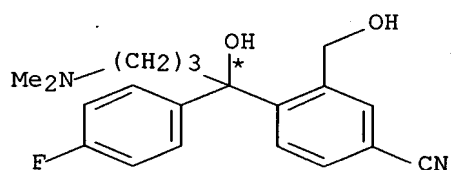
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 SOL 7732-18-5 Water  
 CON room temperature

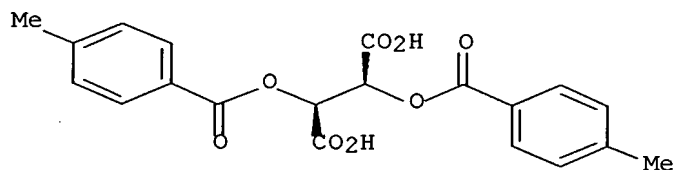
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 CON SUBSTAGE(1) 10 minutes, 0 deg C  
 SUBSTAGE(2) 3 hours, 0 deg C

RX(9) OF 10 COMPOSED OF RX(3), RX(4), RX(1)

RX(9) G + J ==> B

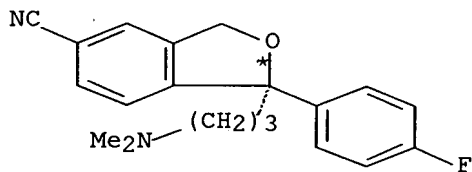


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J

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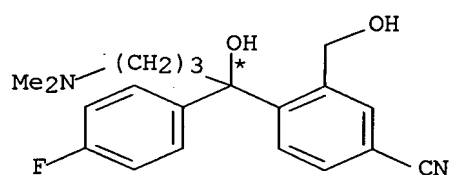
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 CON 5 hours, 40 deg C

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 SOL 7732-18-5 Water  
 CON room temperature

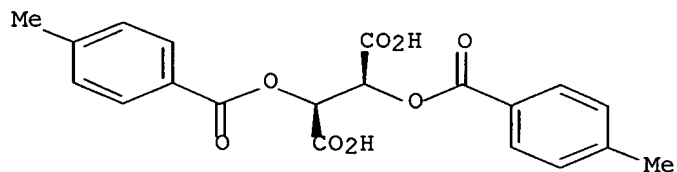
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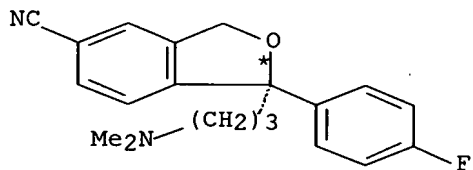
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J

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YIELD 70%

RX(2) RCT F 103146-26-5

RGT H 1310-73-2 NaOH  
 PRO G 103146-25-4  
 SOL 7732-18-5 Water, 108-88-3 PhMe  
 CON 15 minutes, 0 deg C  
  
 RX(3) RCT G 103146-25-4, J 32634-68-7  
 PRO K 128173-53-5  
 SOL 67-63-0 Me2CHOH  
 CON 5 hours, 40 deg C  
  
 RX(4) RCT K 128173-53-5  
 RGT M 144-55-8 NaHCO3  
 PRO A 488787-59-3  
 SOL 7732-18-5 Water  
 CON room temperature  
  
 RX(1) RCT A 488787-59-3  
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 PRO B 128196-01-0  
 SOL 108-88-3 PhMe  
 CON SUBSTAGE(1) 10 minutes, 0 deg C  
 SUBSTAGE(2) 3 hours, 0 deg C

L7 ANSWER 3 OF 14 CASREACT COPYRIGHT 2007 ACS on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 146:206191 CASREACT Full-text  
 TITLE: An improved process for preparation of escitalopram  
 INVENTOR(S): Kaushik, Vipin Kumar; Khan, Mohammed Umar;  
 Meenakshisunderam, Sivakumaran  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Aurobindo Pharma Limited, India  
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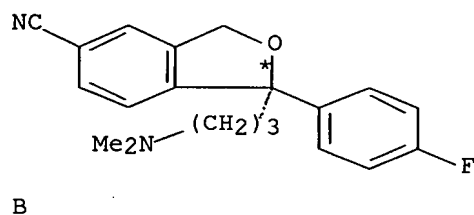
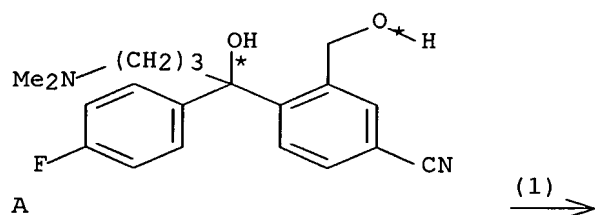
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PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.:			IN 2005-CH1014	20050727
AB The present invention relates to an improved process for the preparation of escitalopram, which comprises purification and optical resolution of 4-[4-(dimethylamino)-1-(4-fluorophenyl)-1-hydroxybutyl]-3-(hydroxymethyl)benzonitrile to obtain the S-enantiomer, followed by cyclization to give escitalopram with 99.12% purity. The process has the advantages of high yield and high purity.				

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STAGE(1)

RGT    C 144-62-7 (CO2H)2

SOL    64-17-5 EtOH

CON    SUBSTAGE(1) room temperature -> 55 deg C

         SUBSTAGE(3) 15 - 20 deg C

         SUBSTAGE(4) 4 hours

STAGE(2)

RGT    D 7664-41-7 NH3

SOL    108-88-3 PhMe, 7732-18-5 Water

CON    30 - 35 deg C, pH 9.8

STAGE(3)

RGT    E 32634-68-7 Butanedioic acid, 2,3-bis[(4-methylbenzoyl)oxy]-, (2S,3S)-

SOL    67-63-0 Me2CHOH

CON    SUBSTAGE(1) 50 - 55 deg C

         SUBSTAGE(3) 25 - 30 deg C

         SUBSTAGE(4) 10 hours

STAGE(4)

RGT    F 124-63-0 MeSO2Cl, G 121-44-8 Et3N

CON    SUBSTAGE(2) 3 hours, -10 - -5 deg C

PRO    B 128196-01-0

ACCESSION NUMBER: 146:80528 CASREACT Full-text  
 TITLE: Chemoenzymatic process for the synthesis of escitalopram  
 INVENTOR(S): Cotticelli, Giovanni; Salvetti, Raul; Bertoni, Chiara  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Adorkem Technology SpA, Italy  
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 21pp.  
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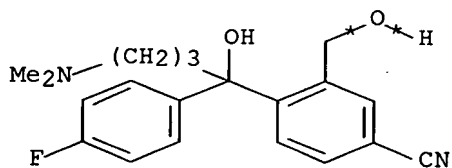
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AB A process is described for the preparation of escitalopram and the pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof starting from 5-cyanophthalide by a process which provides an enantioselective enzymic deacylation reaction of a complex of the formula (IV) where R represents a C1-C4 alkyl residue or an aryl residue under the action of an esterase from *Aspergillus niger*.

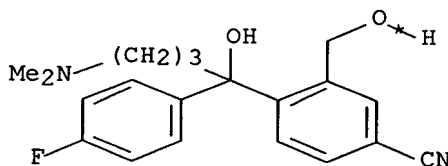
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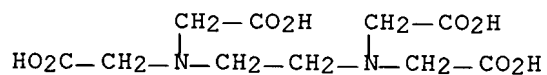
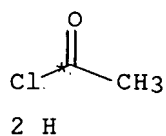
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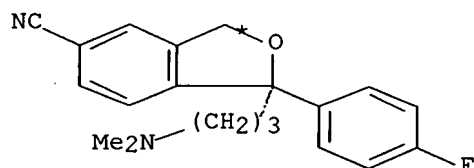
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● 2 Na

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STEPS  
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RX(2) RCT D 103146-25-4, H 75-36-5  
PRO I 917476-35-8  
SOL 75-09-2 CH2Cl2  
CON SUBSTAGE(1) 35 - 40 deg C  
SUBSTAGE(2) 35 - 40 deg C  
NTE hundred gram scale, regioselective

RX(3) RCT I 917476-35-8

STAGE(1)  
SOL 64-17-5 EtOH  
CON room temperature

STAGE(2)  
RCT K 139-33-3  
SOL 7732-18-5 Water  
CON room temperature

PRO L 917476-34-7  
NTE hundred gram scale

RX(4) RCT L 917476-34-7

STAGE(1)  
RGT P 7647-01-0 HCl  
SOL 64-17-5 EtOH, 7732-18-5 Water  
CON room temperature, pH 6

STAGE(2)  
CAT 9001-62-1 Lipase  
CON room temperature, pH 6

PRO N 917479-14-2, O 674806-13-4  
NTE biotransformation, enzymic(lipase from Aspergillus niger immobilized on epoxy resin used), buffered solution(monobasic sodium phosphate), hundred gram scale, stereoselective



RX(6) RCT N 917479-14-2  
RGT S 7664-41-7 NH3  
PRO R 674806-14-5  
SOL 7732-18-5 Water, 67-56-1 MeOH  
CON 3 hours, room temperature  
NTE gram scale

RX(7) RCT R 674806-14-5

STAGE(1)

RGT V 124-63-0 MeSO2Cl  
SOL 108-88-3 PhMe  
CON 10 minutes, 0 deg C

STAGE(2)

RGT W 121-44-8 Et3N  
CON SUBSTAGE(1) 0 deg C  
SUBSTAGE(2) 2 hours, 0 deg C

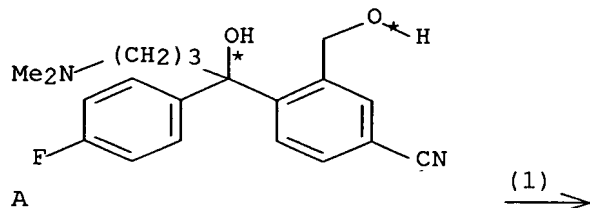
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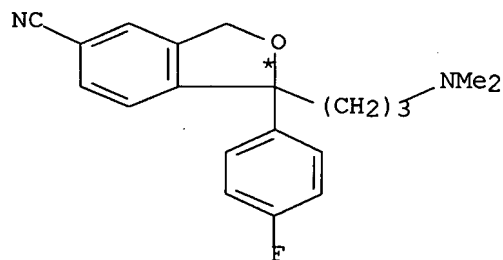
NTE alternative preparation shown, gram scale

L7 ANSWER 5 OF 14 CASREACT COPYRIGHT 2007 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 145:335870 CASREACT Full-text  
TITLE: Synthesis of citalopram hydrobromide  
AUTHOR(S): Wu, Qiuye; Liao, Hongli; Zhao, Huiqing; Ye, Guangming;  
Jin, Yongsheng  
CORPORATE SOURCE: School of Pharmacy, Second Military Medical  
University, Shanghai, 200433, Peop. Rep. China  
SOURCE: Zhongguo Yiyao Gongye Zazhi (2005), 36(1), 6-8  
CODEN: ZYGZEA; ISSN: 1001-8255  
PUBLISHER: Zhongguo Yiyao Gongye Zazhi Bianjibu  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: Chinese

AB Citalopram hydrobromide [i.e., 1-[3-(dimethylamino)propyl]-1-(4-fluorophenyl)-1,3-dihydro-5-isobenzofurancarbonitrile monohydrobromide] was synthesized from terephthalic acid and paraformaldehyde by condensation to give 5-carboxyphthalanone, which subjected to condensation, amidation and dehydration to afford 5-cyanophthalanone followed by twice Grignard reaction, cyclization and then salification with an overall yield of 31%.

RX(1) OF 10 ...A ==> B





● HBr

B  
YIELD 78%

RX(1) RCT A 103146-25-4

STAGE(1)

RGT C 7664-93-9 H2SO4  
SOL 7732-18-5 Water, 108-88-3 PhMe  
CON SUBSTAGE(1) heated  
SUBSTAGE(2) 3 hours, 80 deg C

STAGE(2)

RGT D 1336-21-6 NH4OH  
SOL 7732-18-5 Water  
CON room temperature, pH 10

STAGE(3)

RGT E 10035-10-6 HBr  
CON cooled, pH 6 - 7

PRO B 59729-32-7

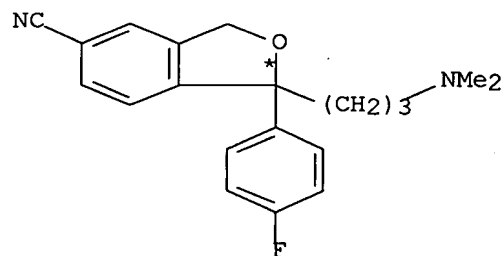
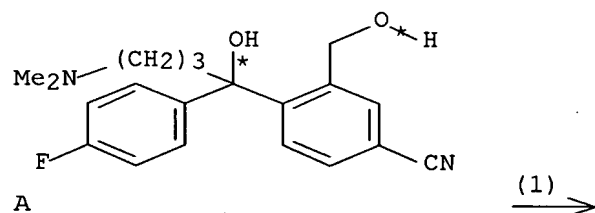
NTE HBr gas used in stage 3, overall yield 31%

L7 ANSWER 6 OF 14 CASREACT COPYRIGHT 2007 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 145:103520 CASREACT Full-text  
TITLE: Preparation and purification of Citalopram salts  
INVENTOR(S): Liu, Zhiping; Huang, Weipeng; Yuan, Aiguo; Xiao, Keqiang; Li, Youcheng; Zhuang, Jingfa  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Guangdong Xilong Chemical Co., Ltd., Peop. Rep. China  
SOURCE: Faming Zhuanli Shenqing Gongkai Shuomingshu, 9 pp.  
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CN 1740167	A	20060301	CN 2005-10035699	20050712
PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.:			CN 2005-10035699 20050712	
AB The invention provides a method for the preparation and purification of Citalopram salts, which comprises mixing an acid and Citalopram diol compound				

at molar ratio of (1-10):1 in toluene at 50-100° under stirring, and recrystg. in water and the diluted acid to obtain corresponding Citalopram salts with a purity above 99.5%; wherein the acid can be hydrobromic acid, hydrochloric acid, hydroiodic acid, hydrofluoric acid, p-toluenesulfonic acid, methanesulfonic acid, oxalic acid, formic acid, acetic acid, hydroxyacetic acid, tartaric acid, citric acid, malic acid, malonic acid, succinic acid, glutaric acid or adipic acid.

RX(1) OF 2      A ==> B



● HBr

B  
YIELD 91%

RX(1)      RCT   A 103146-25-4

STAGE(1)

RGT   C 10035-10-6 HBr

SOL   7732-18-5 Water

CON   90 deg C

STAGE(2)

SOL   141-78-6 AcOEt

CON   3 hours

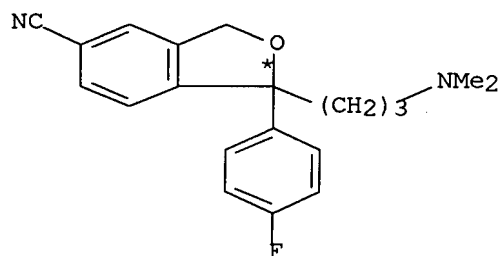
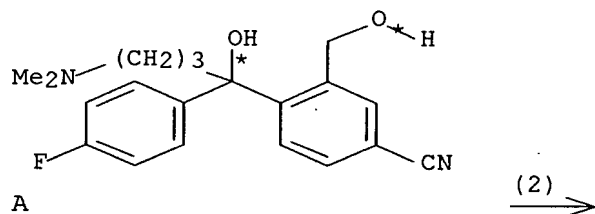
STAGE(3)

SOL   7732-18-5 Water

PRO   B 59729-32-7

NTE   second stage petroleum ether used

RX(2) OF 2      A ==> B



● HBr

B  
YIELD 92%

RX(2)      RCT    A 103146-25-4

STAGE(1)

RGT    C 10035-10-6 HBr

SOL    7732-18-5 Water, 108-88-3 PhMe

CON    90 deg C

STAGE(2)

SOL    141-78-6 AcOEt

CON    3 hours

STAGE(3)

SOL    7732-18-5 Water

PRO    B 59729-32-7

NTE    second stage petroleum ether used

L7    ANSWER 7 OF 14    CASREACT    COPYRIGHT 2007 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER:      144:390731 CASREACT Full-text

TITLE:                    Intramolecular cyclocondensation process for the  
                                 preparation of citalopram and escitalopram

INVENTOR(S):            Cotticelli, Giovanni; Salvetti, Raul

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S):    Adorkem Technology SpA, Italy

SOURCE:                PCT Int. Appl., 12 pp.

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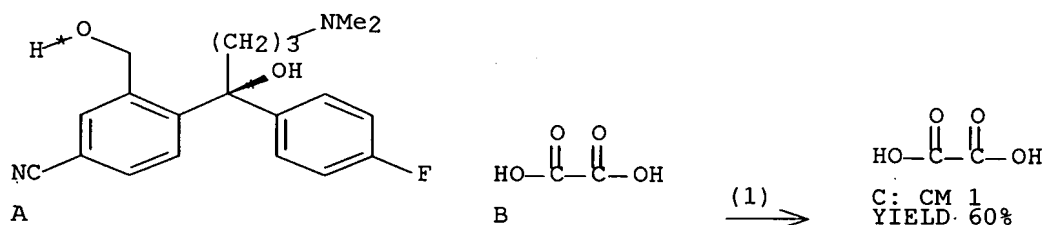
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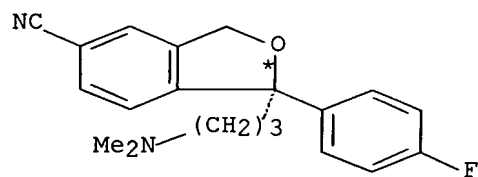
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PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.:			IT 2004-MI1872	20041001
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OTHER SOURCE(S): MARPAT 144:390731

AB A process is described for the preparation of citalopram and of the enantiomer escitalopram which comprises the intramol. cyclocondensation of the corresponding glycol or its chiral enantiomer using the Mitsunobu reaction with an azodicarboxylate diester, a phosphine, and a strong base.

RX(1) OF 2 A + B ==> C





C: CM 2  
YIELD 60%

RX(1) RCT A 488787-59-3

STAGE(1)

RGT D 1972-28-7 EtO2CN:NCO2Et, E 603-35-0 PPh3, F 865-48-5

NaOBu-t

SOL 109-99-9 THF

CON SUBSTAGE(2) overnight

STAGE(2)

RGT G 7647-01-0 HCl

SOL 7732-18-5 Water

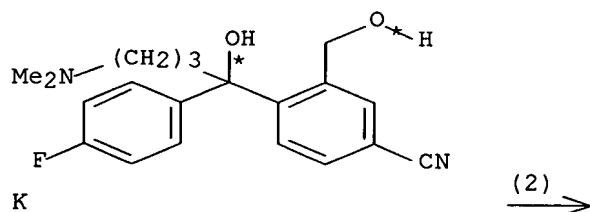
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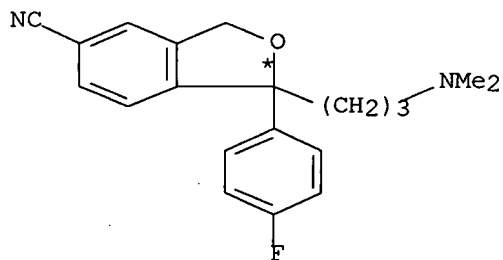
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SOL 67-64-1 Me2CO

PRO C 219861-08-2

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● HBr

L  
YIELD 42%

RX(2) RCT K 103146-25-4

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NaOBu-t  
SOL 109-99-9 THF  
CON SUBSTAGE(2) overnight

STAGE(2)

RGT G 7647-01-0 HCl  
SOL 7732-18-5 Water

STAGE(3)

RGT M 10035-10-6 HBr  
SOL 67-64-1 Me2CO  
CON pH 1

PRO L 59729-32-7

L7 ANSWER 8 OF 14 CASREACT COPYRIGHT 2007 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 144:331251 CASREACT Full-text

TITLE: Chemoenzymatic synthesis of (+)-citalopram and  
(-)-citalopram by kinetic resolution of diol and diol  
monoester intermediates using esterification or  
hydrolysis in the presence of Candida antarctica  
lipase B

INVENTOR(S): Bayod Jasanada, Miguel; Llorente Garcia, Isidro; Gotor  
Santamaria, Vicente; Brieva Collado, M. Rosario;  
Fernandez Solares, Laura; Quiros Alvarez, Margarita

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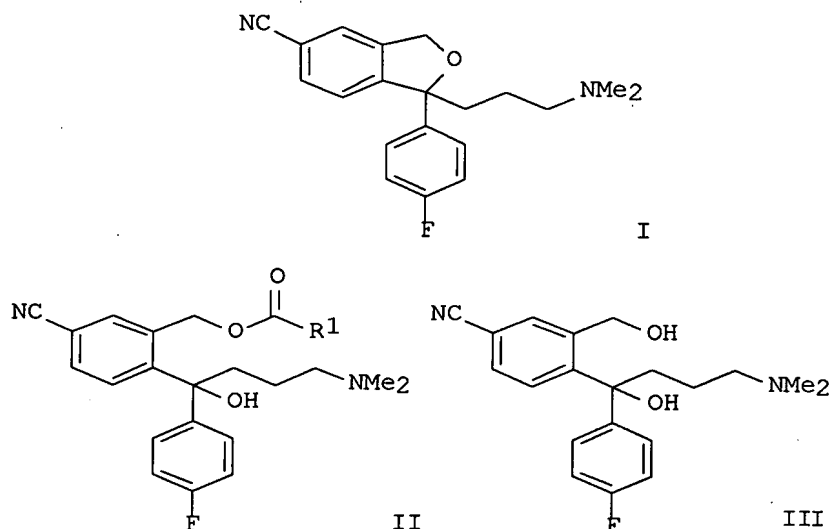
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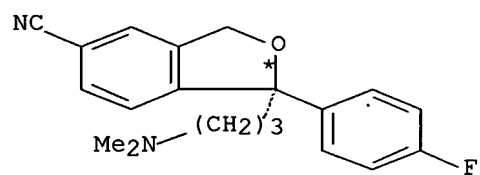
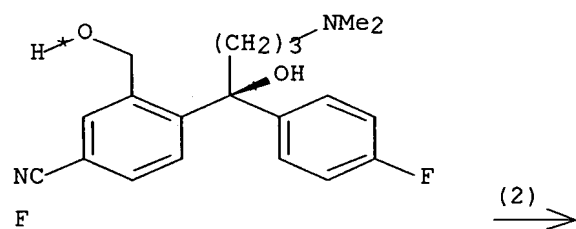
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AB New processes and intermediates for the preparation of (S)-(+)- and (R)-(-)-citalopram, i.e., (+)- and (-)-I, are disclosed. The claimed intermediates include the optically enriched diol monoesters (+)- and (-)-II, as well as the diols (+)- and (-)-III [wherein: R1 = alkyl or aryl]. The claimed processes include two types of kinetic resolution: (1) enzymic acylation of racemic diol ( $\pm$ )-III with an acylating agent R1CO2R2 [R1 = alkyl or aryl; R2 = alkyl, alkenyl or aryl], to give (R)-(+)-II and (S)-(-)-III; and (2) enzymic hydrolysis of the racemic ester ( $\pm$ )-II, to give (S)-(-)-II and (R)-(+)-III. The enzyme catalyst is a hydrolase, especially a lipase, and most particularly, fraction B of the lipase of *Candida antarctica* (IV). Five examples are given; these cover both of the aforementioned processes, as well as hydrolysis of a monoester resolution product, and the conversion of both III enantiomers to the corresponding I enantiomers. For instance, reaction of ( $\pm$ )-III with vinyl acetate in MeCN in the presence of immobilized IV at 30° for 20 h gave (S)-(-)-III in 47% yield and >99% enantiomeric excess, along with some (R)-(+)-II (R1 = Me) with >90% ee. Cyclization of (S)-(-)-III by slow treatment with mesyl chloride in CH2Cl2 at 0°, followed by stirring for 1 h at 15°, gave (S)-(+)-I in 90% yield and >99% ee.

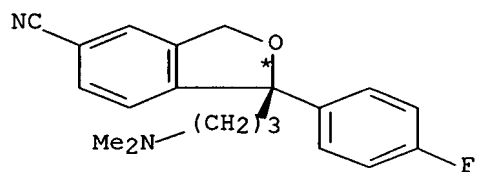
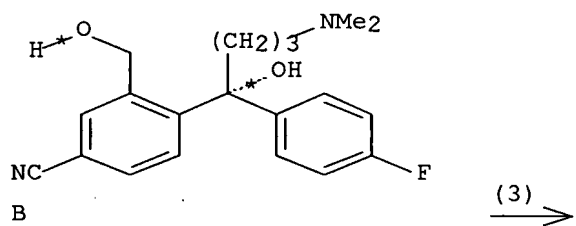




<sup>G</sup>  
YIELD 90%

RX(2)      RCT    F 488787-59-3  
              RGT    H 124-63-0 MeSO<sub>2</sub>Cl  
              PRO    G 128196-01-0  
              SOL    75-09-2 CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>  
              CON    SUBSTAGE(1) 0 deg C  
                      SUBSTAGE(2) 0 deg C -> 15 deg C  
                      SUBSTAGE(3) 1 hour, 15 deg C  
              NTE    product ee >99%

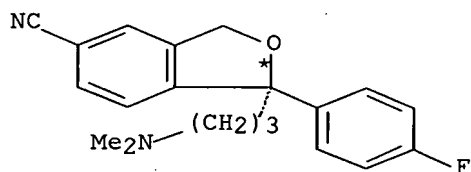
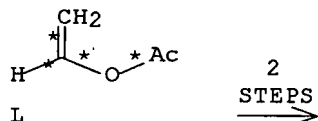
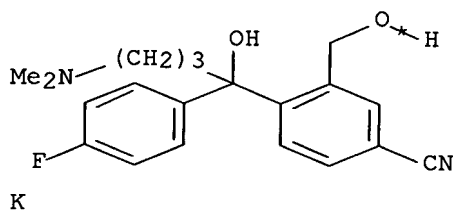
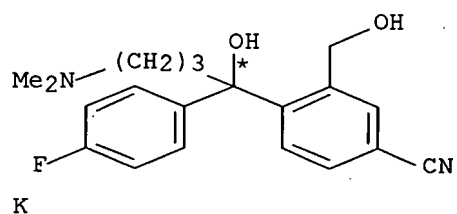
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<sup>J</sup>  
YIELD 90%

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 PRO J 128196-02-1  
 SOL 75-09-2 CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>  
 CON SUBSTAGE(1) 0 deg C  
 SUBSTAGE(2) 0 deg C -> 15 deg C  
 SUBSTAGE(3) 1 hour, 15 deg C  
 NTE product ee >99%

RX(9) OF 10 COMPOSED OF RX(4), RX(2)  
 RX(9) 2 K + L ==> G



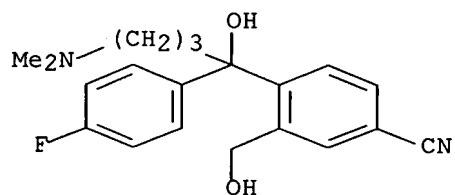
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 PRO A 674806-13-4, F 488787-59-3  
 CAT 9001-62-1 Lipase  
 SOL 75-05-8 MeCN  
 CON 20 hours, 30 deg C  
 NTE enzymic, solid-supported catalyst, ee of diol >99%, ee of monoester >90%

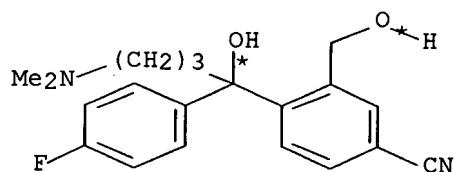
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 PRO G 128196-01-0  
 SOL 75-09-2 CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>  
 CON SUBSTAGE(1) 0 deg C

SUBSTAGE(2) 0 deg C -> 15 deg C  
 SUBSTAGE(3) 1 hour, 15 deg C  
 NTE product ee >99%

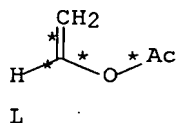
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 RX(10) 2 K + L ==> J



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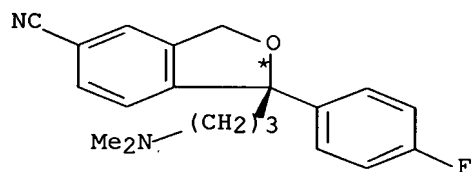


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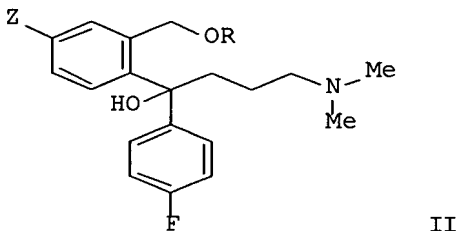
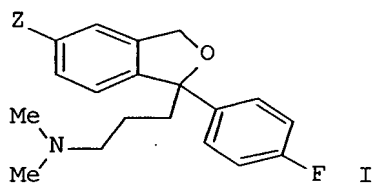
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YIELD 90%

RX(4)	RCT	K 103146-25-4, L 108-05-4
	PRO	A 674806-13-4, F 488787-59-3
	CAT	9001-62-1 Lipase
	SOL	75-05-8 MeCN
	CON	20 hours, 30 deg C
	NTE	enzymic, solid-supported catalyst, ee of diol >99%, ee of monoester >90%
RX(1)	RCT	A 674806-13-4
	RGT	C 7732-18-5 Water, D 1310-73-2 NaOH
	PRO	B 481047-48-7
	SOL	67-56-1 MeOH
	CON	12 hours, room temperature
	NTE	ee of product >99%
RX(3)	RCT	B 481047-48-7
	RGT	H 124-63-0 MeSO <sub>2</sub> Cl
	PRO	J 128196-02-1
	SOL	75-09-2 CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>

CON SUBSTAGE(1) 0 deg C  
 SUBSTAGE(2) 0 deg C -> 15 deg C  
 SUBSTAGE(3) 1 hour, 15 deg C  
 NTE product ee >99%

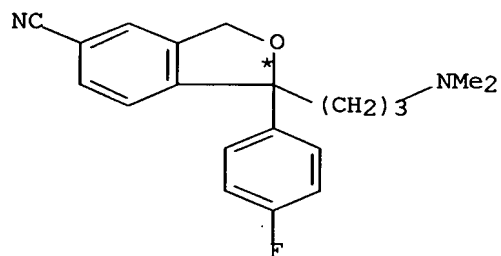
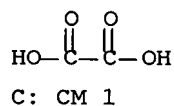
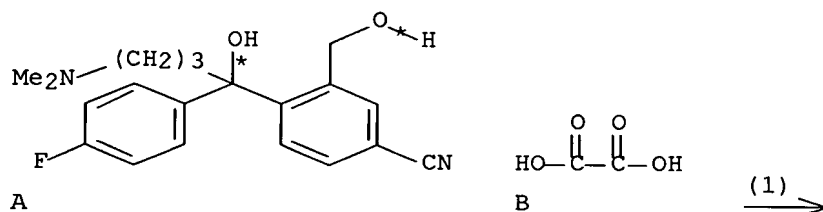
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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 144:274127 CASREACT Full-text  
 TITLE: Process for preparation of citalopram and its enantiomers via acid or base cyclization of the diol  
 INVENTOR(S): Periyandi, Nagarajan; Kilaru, Srinivasu; Thennati, Rajamannar  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Limited, India  
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 31 pp.  
 CODEN: PIXXD2  
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent  
 LANGUAGE: English  
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AB The invention provides a process for preparation of 1-[3-(dimethylamino)propyl]-1-(4-fluorophenyl)-1,3-dihydro-5-isobenzofurancarbonitrile I (Z = CN; citalopram) and its enantiomers. The process for preparation of compound I comprising reacting a compound of formula II (R = H), in the presence of a base, with a compound of formula RX, wherein R is (un)substituted alkyl, (un)substituted alkenyl, and (un)substituted (hetero)aryl; X is from F, Cl, Br, I, CN, OTf and OR1; R1 is (un)substituted alkyl; Z is CN or a group that may be converted to a cyano group; so that an intermediate ether derivative, where R is as defined above, is formed from said reaction, which ether cyclizes to give a compound of formula I, where Z is not a cyano group, and conversion of the group Z in the compound of formula I to a cyano group to form racemic I (Z = CN), is claimed in this invention. The invention also provides ether compds., compds. of formula II and a process for preparation thereof. (S)-(+)-Citropram, i.e., (S)-(+)-I (Z = CN) was prepared by nucleophilic aromatic substitution of 2,5-dichloronitrobenzene with (S)-(-)-II (Z = CN; R = H) to give the corresponding benzylic Ph ether, that was converted to its HCl salt, and cyclized in the presence of potassium carbonate to give (S)-(+)-I.

RX(1) OF 9      A + B ==> C



C: CM 2

RX(1) RCT A 103146-25-4

STAGE(1)

RGT D 89-61-2 Benzene, 1,4-dichloro-2-nitro-, E 584-08-7 K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>

SOL 67-68-5 DMSO

CON SUBSTAGE(1) room temperature

SUBSTAGE(2) 15 hours, 100 deg C

STAGE(2)

RGT F 1310-73-2 NaOH, G 12408-02-5 H<sup>+</sup>

SOL 7732-18-5 Water

STAGE(3)

RCT B 144-62-7

SOL 67-64-1 Me<sub>2</sub>CO

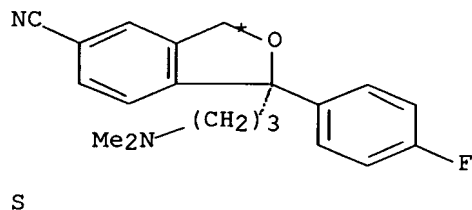
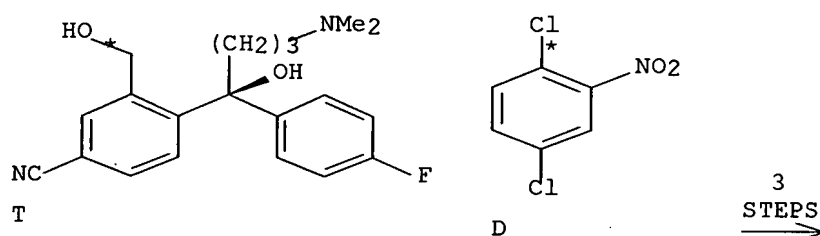
CON SUBSTAGE(1) 30 deg C

SUBSTAGE(2) cooled

PRO C 207559-01-1

RX(9) OF 9 COMPOSED OF RX(6), RX(4), RX(5)

RX(9) T + D ==> S



RX(6) RCT T 488787-59-3

STAGE(1)

RGT M 865-47-4 t-BuOK

SOL 109-99-9 THF

CON 10 minutes, 0 - 10 deg C

STAGE(2)

RCT D 89-61-2

CON SUBSTAGE(1) 0 - 10 deg C

SUBSTAGE(2) 10 - 15 hours, 30 - 35 deg C

## STAGE(3)

RGT F 1310-73-2 NaOH  
SOL 7732-18-5 Water

PRO O 878042-63-8

RX(4) RCT O 878042-63-8  
RGT Q 7647-01-0 HCl  
PRO P 878007-22-8  
SOL 67-63-0 Me2CHOH  
CON 30 deg C

RX(5) RCT P 878007-22-8  
RGT E 584-08-7 K2CO3  
PRO S 128196-01-0  
SOL 67-68-5 DMSO  
CON SUBSTAGE(1) 30 - 35 deg C  
SUBSTAGE(2) 30 minutes, 95 - 100 deg C

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 143:248161 CASREACT Full-text

TITLE: Method for the separation of intermediates which may  
be used for the preparation of escitalopram

INVENTOR(S): Lyngso, Lars Ole

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): H. Lundbeck A/S, Den.

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 41 pp.

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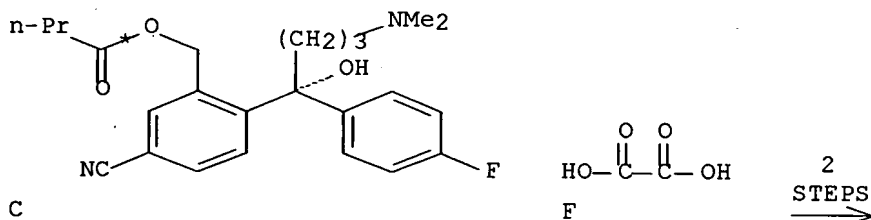
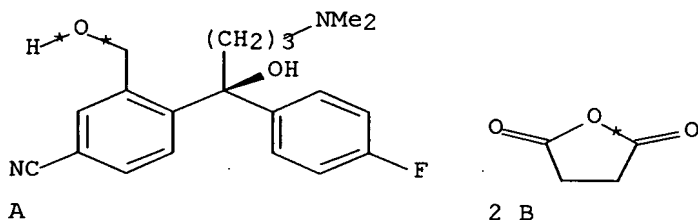
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AB Compds. I [R1 = H, or group II; R2 = CN, or a group which may be converted to CN; R3 = halo; X = double or single bond; Y = bond, O, S, or NH; W = O, or S; R4 = alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, hetroaryl, all of which may be optionally substituted with alkoxy, alkythio, halo, OH, NH, NO2, CN, alkylamino, aryl, aryloxy, arylthio, and heteroaryl], or a salt from a mixture of I [R1 = group II] and I [R1 = H], which was reacting with cyclic anhydride or imide to form a mixture of I [R1 = group II] and an esters III (R5 = substituted heteroaryl carboxylic acid), were prepared by enzymic acylation or deacylation, separated, isolated and purified and used for manufacturing of escitalopram and derivs. Compds. I [R1 = group II] were separated from esters III by precipitation of III from the mixture, or by partitioning between an organic solvent and aqueous solvent, by adsorbing I [R1 = group II] on a basic resin. Thus, addition of succinic anhydride to a mixture of butyric acid 5-cyano-2-[4-dimethylamino-1-(4-fluorophenyl)-1-hydroxybutyl]-benzyl ester and prepared by enzymic resolution 4-[(S)-4-dimethylamino-1-(4'-fluorophenyl)-1-hydroxybutyl]-3-hydroxymethylbenzonitrile, gave after precipitation and washing 2,02 g of escitalopram [(S)-1-(3-dimethylamino-propyl)-1-(4-fluorophenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isobenzofuran-5-carbonitrile] hydrogen oxalate (ee = 95%).

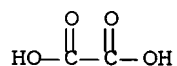
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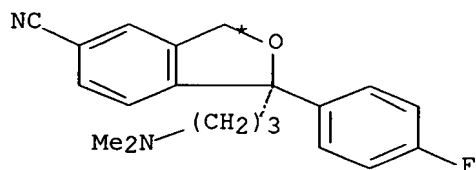
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G: CM 1



G: CM 2

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 PRO D 863116-45-4  
 SOL 109-99-9 THF  
 CON overnight, room temperature

RX(2) RCT D 863116-45-4

STAGE(1)

RGT H 7646-69-7 NaH  
 SOL 68-12-2 DMF  
 CON overnight, room temperature

STAGE(2)

RGT I 7732-18-5 Water  
 CON room temperature

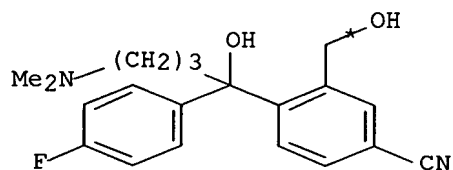
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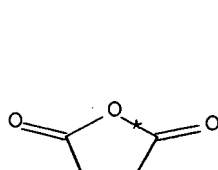
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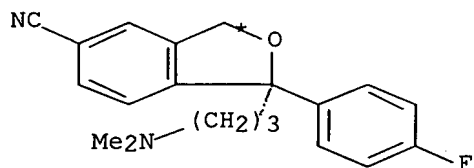
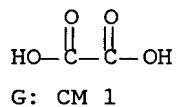
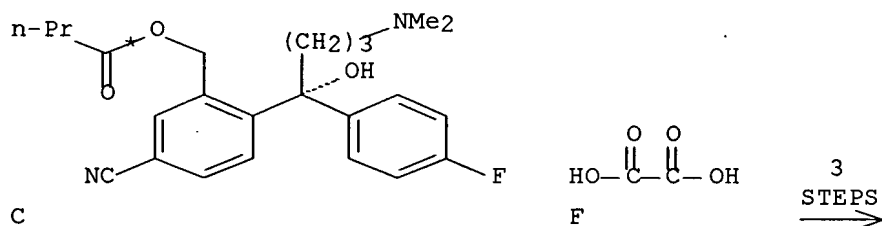
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2 B



G: CM 2

RX(3)      RCT    L 103146-25-4  
              RGT    M 123-20-6 Butanoic acid, ethenyl ester  
              PRO    A 488787-59-3  
              CAT    9004-02-8 Lipase, lipoprotein  
              SOL    123-91-1 Dioxane  
              CON    SUBSTAGE(1) room temperature -> 50 deg C  
                       SUBSTAGE(2) 192 hours, 50 deg C  
                       SUBSTAGE(3) 504 hours, 50 deg C  
              NTE    biotransformation, enzymic, stereoselective, lipoprotein lipase  
                       from Pseudomonas sp. used

RX(1)      RCT    A 488787-59-3, B 108-30-5, C 658080-70-7  
              PRO    D 863116-45-4  
              SOL    109-99-9 THF  
              CON    overnight, room temperature

RX(2)      RCT    D 863116-45-4  
                       STAGE(1)  
                           RGT    H 7646-69-7 NaH  
                           SOL    68-12-2 DMF  
                           CON    overnight, room temperature  
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                       STAGE(3)

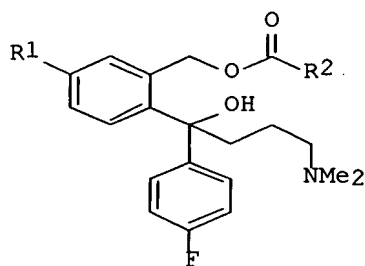
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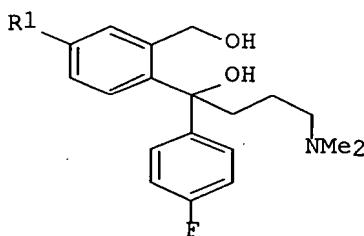
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TITLE: Process for the preparation of citalopram enantiomer  
INVENTOR(S): Li, Lan; Li, Qian  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Dezhong Wanquan Pharmaceutical Technology Developing  
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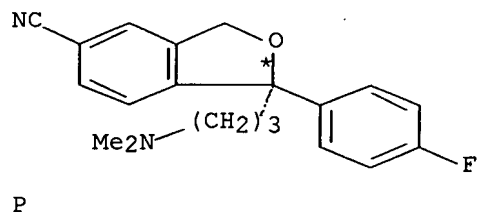
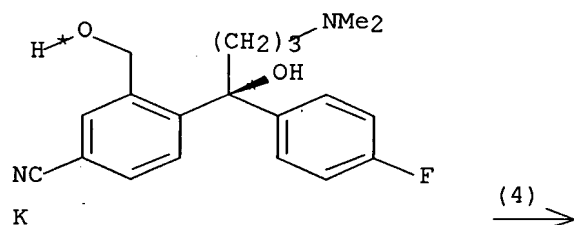
I



II

AB A process for the preparation of title compound, a drug as antidepressant, and the preparation of its intermediate I [R1 = CN, halo, alkoxy, alkylaminocarbonyl; R2 = amino containing group, amino containing aryl or cyclic ring] comprising reacting a compound of formula II with a compound of formula XCOR2 (R1, R2 are defined as above) is disclosed. For example, reaction of II (R1 = CN) with 2-chloronicotinic acid gave I (R1 = CN, R2 = 2-chloropyridin-3-yl) in 80% yield. Optical resolution of I by salification of I with di-p-toluoyl-L-tartaric acid, followed by recrystn. and hydrolysis, provided (S)-II. Cyclization of (S)-II gave optical active (S)-citalopram.

RX(4) OF 10 ...K ==> P



RX(4) RCT K 488787-59-3

STAGE(1)

RGT D 121-44-8 Et<sub>3</sub>N  
 SOL 75-09-2 CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>  
 CON room temperature  $\rightarrow$  0 deg C

STAGE(2)

RGT Q 98-59-9 TsCl  
 SOL 75-09-2 CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>  
 CON 3 hours, 0 deg C

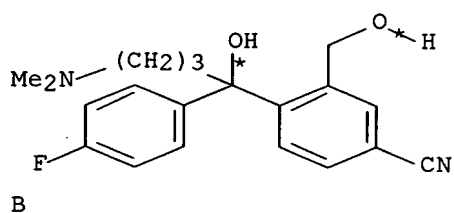
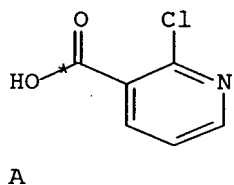
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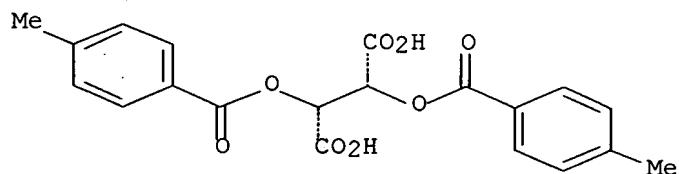
RGT R 144-62-7 (CO<sub>2</sub>H)<sub>2</sub>  
 SOL 67-64-1 Me<sub>2</sub>CO  
 CON SUBSTAGE(1) 1 hour, reflux  
 SUBSTAGE(2) overnight, reflux  $\rightarrow$  room temperature

PRO P 128196-01-0

RX(10) OF 10 COMPOSED OF RX(1), RX(2), RX(3), RX(4)

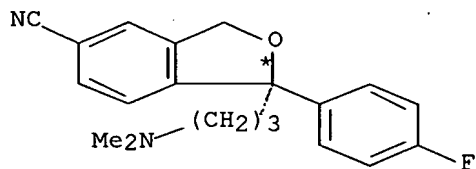
RX(10) A + B + H  $\implies$  P





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P

RX(1) RCT A 2942-59-8

STAGE(1)

SOL 7719-09-7 SOCl<sub>2</sub>

CON 2 hours, reflux

STAGE(2)

RCT B 103146-25-4

SOL 75-09-2 CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>

STAGE(3)

RGT D 121-44-8 Et<sub>3</sub>N

CON 16 hours, room temperature

STAGE(4)

SOL 108-20-3 Isopropyl ether

CON 2 hours, room temperature

PRO C 853904-55-9

RX(2) RCT C 853904-55-9, H 32634-66-5

PRO I 853904-57-1

SOL 67-63-0 Me<sub>2</sub>CHOH

CON SUBSTAGE(1) 0.5 hours, reflux

SUBSTAGE(2) overnight, reflux → room temperature

NTE stereoselective

RX(3) RCT I 853904-57-1

STAGE(1)

RGT L 497-19-8 Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>

SOL 7732-18-5 Water

CON room temperature, pH 8 - 9

STAGE(2)

SOL 108-20-3 Isopropyl ether  
CON 2 hours, room temperature

STAGE(3)

RGT M 1310-73-2 NaOH  
SOL 7732-18-5 Water, 64-17-5 EtOH  
CON 8 hours, room temperature

PRO K 488787-59-3

RX(4) RCT K 488787-59-3

STAGE(1)

RGT D 121-44-8 Et3N  
SOL 75-09-2 CH2Cl2  
CON room temperature -> 0 deg C

STAGE(2)

RGT Q 98-59-9 TsCl  
SOL 75-09-2 CH2Cl2  
CON 3 hours, 0 deg C

STAGE(3)

RGT R 144-62-7 (CO2H)2  
SOL 67-64-1 Me2CO  
CON SUBSTAGE(1) 1 hour, reflux  
SUBSTAGE(2) overnight, reflux -> room temperature

PRO P 128196-01-0

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 142:197860 CASREACT Full-text

TITLE: Process for purification of citalopram via washing  
with polybasic acid solutions

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CODEN: PIXXD2

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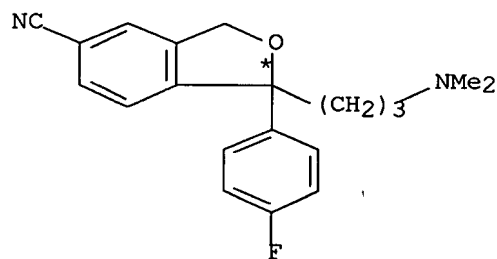
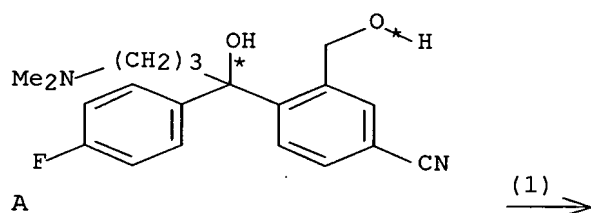
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AB A process for purification of racemic or optically active citalopram (I) comprises (i) providing crude I containing  $\geq 1$  I derivs. dissolved in a H<sub>2</sub>O-immiscible organic solvent, (ii) washing the crude mixture with  $\geq 1$  dilute aqueous solution of a polybasic acid, either in free form or as a partial alkali metal salt, so as to sep. I from impurities present in the crude mixture; and (iii) where required converting purified I free base to a pharmaceutically acceptable salt. Thus, 4-[4-(dimethylamino)-1-(4'-fluorophenyl)-1-hydroxybutyl]-3-hydroxymethylbenzonitrile was heated at 105° in aqueous H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> followed by cooling, dilution with H<sub>2</sub>O, pH adjustment to 8-10 with aqueous NH<sub>3</sub>, and extraction with EtOAc. The EtOAc layer was washed with aqueous disodium edetate followed by drying over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, treatment with decolorizing C, and filtration to give >99.85% pure citalopram hydrobromide.

RX(1) OF 3 A ==> B



● HBr

B

RX(1) RCT A 103146-25-4

STAGE(1)

RGT C 7664-38-2 H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>

SOL 7732-18-5 Water

CON 14 hours, 105 deg C

STAGE(2)

RGT D 7664-41-7 NH3

SOL 7732-18-5 Water

CON 40 deg C, pH 8 - 10

STAGE(3)

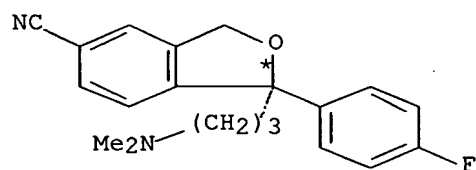
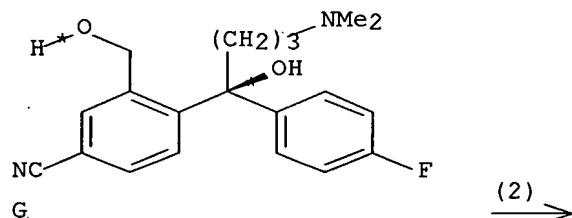
RGT E 10035-10-6 HBr

SOL 7732-18-5 Water

CON room temperature, pH 3 - 3.5

PRO B 59729-32-7

RX(2) OF 3 G ==> H



RX(2) RCT G 488787-59-3

STAGE(1)

SOL 75-09-2 CH2Cl2

CON room temperature -> 0 deg C

STAGE(2)

RGT I 124-63-0 MeSO2Cl, J 121-44-8 Et3N

SOL 75-09-2 CH2Cl2

CON SUBSTAGE(1) 0 deg C

SUBSTAGE(2) 2 hours, 5 deg C

STAGE(3)

RGT K 144-62-7 (CO2H)2

SOL 67-64-1 Me2CO

CON 1 hour, 10 deg C

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 140:287145 CASREACT Full-text

TITLE: Enzymatic resolution of a quaternary stereogenic center as the key step in the synthesis of (S)-(+)-citalopram

AUTHOR(S): Solares, Laura F.; Brieva, Rosario; Quiros, Margarita; Llorente, Isidro; Bayod, Miguel; Gotor, Vicente

CORPORATE SOURCE: Departamento de Quimica Organica e Inorganica, Facultad de Quimica, Universidad de Oviedo, Oviedo, 33071, Spain

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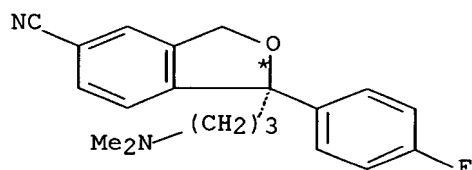
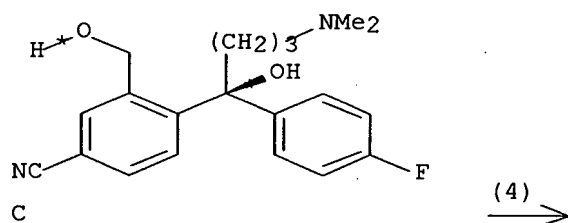
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AB The enzymic resolution of 4-[4-(Dimethylamino)-1-(4-fluorophenyl)-1-hydroxybutyl]-3-(hydroxymethyl)benzonitrile, a useful intermediate in the synthesis of enantiomerically pure citalopram, has been studied. *Candida antarctica* lipase B (CAL-B) catalyzes the enzymic acetylation of the primary benzylic alc. with high enantioselectivity at the quaternary stereogenic center. This enzymic acetylation yielded the acetylated (+)-3-[(acetyloxy)methyl]-4-[(1R)-4-(dimethylamino)-1-(4-fluorophenyl)-1-hydroxybutyl]benzonitrile and the desired (-)-4-[(1S)-4-(dimethylamino)-1-(4-fluorophenyl)-1-hydroxybutyl]-3-(hydroxymethyl)benzonitrile. The enzymic enantioselective hydrolysis of the 3-acetyloxymethyl derivative catalyzed by CAL-B is also possible.

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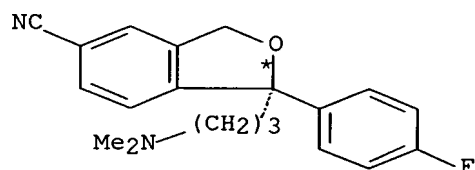
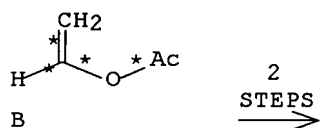
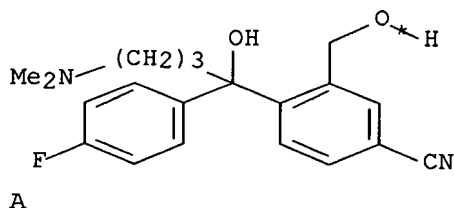
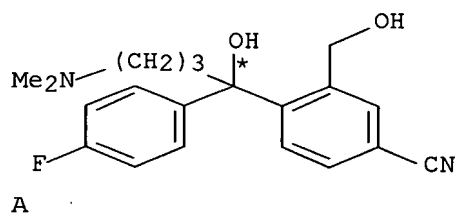


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YIELD 90%

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PRO N 128196-01-0

SOL 75-09-2 CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>  
CON 1 hour, 0 deg C -> 15 deg C

RX(6) OF 6 COMPOSED OF RX(1), RX(4)  
RX(6) 2 A + B ==> N



YIELD 90%

RX(1) RCT A 103146-25-4, B 108-05-4  
PRO C 488787-59-3, D 674806-13-4  
CAT 9001-62-1 Lipase  
SOL 75-05-8 MeCN  
CON 21 hours, 30 deg C  
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Candida antarctica, optimization study, optimized on  
concentration, solvent

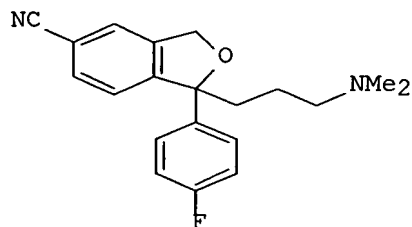
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CON 1 hour, 0 deg C -> 15 deg C

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 138:73169 CASREACT Full-text  
TITLE: Preparation of racemic citalopram and/or S- or  
R-citalopram by separation of a mixture of R- and  
S-citalopram

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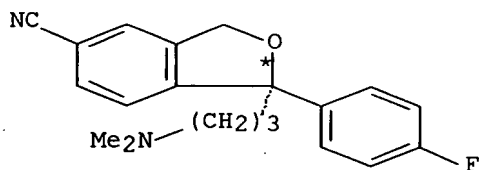
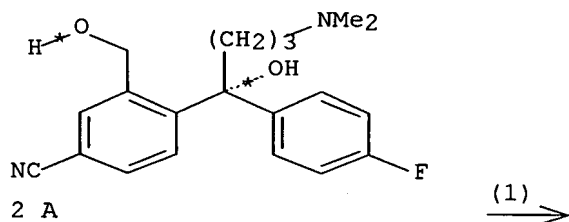


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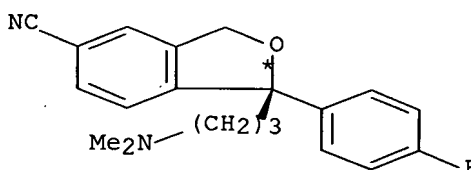
AB Citalopram (I), free base or an acid addition salt thereof, and/or R- or S-citalopram as the free base or an acid addition salt thereof, were prepared by separation of a mixture of R- and S-citalopram with more than 50% of one of the enantiomers into a fraction consisting of racemic citalopram and/or a fraction of S-citalopram or R-citalopram. The mixture of R- and S-citalopram was generally prepared by acid- or base-catalyzed ring closure of R- or S-[4-(dimethylamino)-1-(4'-fluorophenyl)-1-hydroxybutyl]-3-(hydroxymethyl)benzonitrile. Racemic citalopram and S-citalopram are well-known antidepressants (no data).

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RX(1) OF 1 2 A ==> B + C



B  
YIELD 99%(73)



C  
YIELD 99%(27)

RX(1) RCT A 481047-48-7  
RGT D 7664-93-9 H2SO4  
PRO B 128196-01-0, C 128196-02-1  
SOL 7732-18-5 Water, 75-05-8 MeCN  
CON SUBSTAGE(1) room temperature  
SUBSTAGE(2) 3 hours, 78 - 85 deg C  
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